12.00 Noon

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Notification of the Ministry of Finance

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): Sir, I lay on the Table:—

I. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) Notification S.O. 1375 (E), dated the 7* August, 2007, publishing the Wealth-tax (First Amendment) Rules, 2007, under sub-section (4) of section 46 of the Wealth Tax Act, 1957, together with an Explanatory Memorandum on the Notification. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T 7496/07]

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), under section 296 of the Income Tax Act, 1961 together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notifications:

(1) S.O. 1374 (E), dated the 7 th August, 2007, publishing the Income-tax (Ninth Amendment) Rules, 2007.

(2) S.O. 1484 (E), dated the 30th August, 2007, publishing the Income-tax (Ninth Amendment) Rules, 2007.

(3) S.O. 1762 (E) dated the 16 th October, 2007, publishing the Income-tax (Eleventh Amendment) Rules, 2007. -

(4) S.O. 1805 (E) dated the 23 th October, 2007, publishing the Income-tax (Twelfth Amendment) Rules, 2007.

(5) S.O. 1895 (E) dated the 7 th November, 2007, publishing the Income-tax (Thirteenth Amendment) Rules, 2007. -.

(6) S.O. 1896 (E) dated the *T* November, 2007, publishing the Income-tax (Fourteenth Amendment) Rules, 2007

[Placed in Library, for (1 to 6) *See* No. LT 7495/07]

Report and Accounts (2006-07) of FCRI, Palakkad, Kerala and related papers

THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): Sir, I lay on the Table, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers;—

(a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Fluid Control Research Institute (FCRI), Palakkad, Kerala, for the year 2006-2007, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.[Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T 7788/07]

[MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN in the Chair]

Report and Accounts (2006-07) of the WAPCOS, New Delhi and related papers

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAY PRAKASH NANAYAN YADAV): Sir, I lay on the Table, a copy of each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of he Companies Act, 1956:—

(a) Thirty-eighth Annual Report and Accounts of the Water and Power Consultancy Services (India) Limited (WAPCOS), New Delhi, for the year 2006-07, together with

the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report.[Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 7565/07]

Report and Accounts(2000-01/2001-02/2002-03/2003-04/2005-06/2006-07)of various tourism and culture organisation and institutions and related papers

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND THE MINISTER OF CULTURE (SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Sangeet Natak Akademi, New Delhi, for the year 2005-06, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Akademi.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library 5ec No. L.T. 7797/07]

(ii) (a) Annual Report of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the year 2003-04

(b) Annual Accounts of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the year 2003-04 and Audit Report thereon.

(c) Review by Government on the working of the above Centre.

(d) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 7798/07]

(iii) (a) Twenty-fifth Annual Report and Accounts of the Indian Institute of Tourism and Travel Management (IITTM), Gwalior, for the year 2006-07, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Institute. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 7460/07]

(iv) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, for the year 2005-06, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Akademi.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 7436/07]

(v) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the South Zone Cultural Centre (SZCC), Thanjavur, for the year 2005-2006, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Cultural Centre.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 8075/07]